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NORWAY, MAINE

National Thrift Week
The mention of Franklin's name immediately reminds one of his wise sayings regarding thrift. National Thrift Week begins on his birthday, January 17. The days of the week are designated as follows:

J Wednesday 17, National Thrift Day, Start a bank account
A Thursday 18, Budget Day, Budget your expenses
N Friday 19, Life Insurance Day, Carry life insurance
U Saturday 20, Own Your Home Day, Start saving for your own home
A Sunday 21, Share With Others Day, Practice sharing with others
R Monday 22, Pay Bills Promptly Day, Pay bills promptly so others can pay you
Y Tuesday 23, Make a Will Day, Protect your estate by making a Will

Make National Thrift Week count. Begin by opening an account in our Savings Department.

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Take a Kodak with you. How often have you said "Oh, I wish I had a picture of this or that event!" Pictures tell the story—and you enjoy looking at them in the years to come. The cost of a Kodak is trifling, compared with the permanent pleasure it gives.

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Have you tried Pillsbury's Pancake Flour, 15c a package. Makes a fine pancake, and so convenient. "Requires only the addition of water—everything else is in the flour."
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AMONG THE FARMERS.

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Save Your Pines.
Business is directly and indirectly concerned in the continued production of white pine. The great economic importance of this crop is more readily appreciated when we consider that there are 21 billion board feet of white pine in the eastern United States estimated to be worth \$278,000,000, as well as a very large acreage of young pine.

New England alone has 300 million dollars invested in wood using industries which employ over 90,000 men, and the county of Oxford one-half billion board feet of white pine.

In the Eastern States white pine is the most valuable tree for crop production, bringing annual returns of from five to ten dollars per tree on land that otherwise would be practically worthless. In New England it is an important part of farming operations. A single farmer in Oxford County finds much of his land profitable only for growing a crop of white pine.

It is obvious that the destruction of this valuable crop would have a most serious effect upon many lines of business such as lumbering, transportation and woodworking. The lumber and wood sections business which depends largely upon the tourist trade would be severely injured because white pine is one of the principal attractions for the summer vacationist. Locally it would directly affect the economic welfare of the community, while nationally it affects the general public.

This destructive disease was introduced into North America from Europe on young pine about the year 1900. It has spread rapidly to the native white pine forests and is generally established in New England and New York.

The destructive effects of this disease in conjunction with the cutting of pine for lumber seriously threatens the commercial extinction of the white pine in generally infested regions.

The United States Department of Agriculture in cooperation with the affected states has developed a control measure during the last five years to protect this valuable crop and keep the pine lands productive.

These measures consist of the systematic destruction of all wild and cultivated bushes, both current and gooseberries, within 1000 feet of the infested trees. They are thoroughly practical and can be applied cheaply by the pine owner.

Pine infection is rapid and in Maine for several reasons, the inability of the average pine owner to recognize the disease on his land, the difficulty experienced by the average man in believing currents and gooseberries are trespassers of the disease, and unfamiliarity with the different kinds of wild currents and gooseberries and the effective methods of their removal.

The remedy lies in the convincing owners of the danger to their pine trees, instructing them in the identification of the disease and the best method of control, and persuading them to take concerted action soon enough to save their pine crop.

We want in the next three or four years to have every pine stand in Oxford County protected, and to do this we must have the cooperation of the land owner and a small financial appropriation from the towns in the county.

Blister Rust Agent Oxford County.
More Milk Consumed.
The people of the United States are using more milk and cream than ever before. Statistics compiled by the United States Department of Agriculture show that seven-tenths of the milk is the average daily consumption for every man, woman, and child in the country, whereas a decade ago the consumption was six-tenths of the population.

These figures are based upon milk and cream consumed as such and do not include any that enters into manufactured products.

The results are based upon figures obtained from health departments of 356 cities in all parts of the country having a population of more than 25,000.

The lowest consumption, 0.47 of a pint, is in the East South Central States and the highest, 0.87 of a pint, is in the West. The lowest consumption in general is found in the Southern States, but it must be kept in mind that many milk farms are kept in this section and milk from these animals was not taken into consideration.

The large cities use more milk per capita than those having less than 50,000 population, and the smaller cities having less than 5,000 population. The group has the largest consumption of all the city groups.

Birds Aid Against Insect Pests.
Birds help keep down many insect pests even when they are not sufficiently numerous to exterminate them. There is a large area of infestation, and there are many instances where the saving of a crop has been due entirely to the work of birds. When the Mormon migration to Utah, says the Biological Survey, United States Department of Agriculture, in a recent communication, the birds were of great help in the control of locusts.

The second year they came again, but provisionally, or miraculously, as it was thought by the Mormons, the locusts of California white grubs suddenly appeared and destroyed the crickets, eradicating them for the time being. The remainder of the crop on which the Mormons had been held for food the next season was saved. Since that time the birds have been held almost sacred in Utah. A monument commemorating their valuable aid stands in Salt Lake City.

The dealer was charged with selling adulterated milk and he pleaded not guilty. "The milk," said the judge, "the testimony shows that your milk contained 25 per cent water."

"Then it must be high-grade milk," returned the dealer. "If your Honor will look up the word 'milk' in your dictionary you will find that it contains 90 to 95 per cent water. I should have sold mine for cream."

More than 600 farmers and breeders raising all kinds of domestic animals answered questions sent out by the United States Department of Agriculture and from these replies it has been determined that these men consider pure breeds 40 per cent better from a utility standpoint than cross-bred stock.

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Legislative Notes.

Harvey D. Granville of Parsonsfield was chosen as the Republican candidate in the House of Representatives Wednesday. He received forty-eight votes in the primary election. Mr. Granville is a native of Parsonsfield, Me., and has been a resident of Oxford County since 1900. He is a member of the Republican Party and has been active in its ranks for many years.

It was one hundred years ago Thursday that Augusta was chosen as the seat of the government of Maine. The legislature of 1822 selected a committee to select the site and recommended to the legislature of the next year a suitable place to locate the seat of government. The committee visited Portland, Brunswick, Hallowell, Augusta, Waterville, Wiscasset and Belfast. The committee recommended that the seat of government be located in Augusta.

Two brothers are included in the Kennebec County delegation of the eighty-first legislature. One is a member of the Senate and the other of the House. They are Senator Herman H. Adams of Belgrade and Representative Frank N. DeLitch of Litchfield.

An act relating to the taxation of shares of stock in trust companies organized under the laws of this state and of the laws of the United States, and repealing Chapter 197, Public Laws of 1921, was passed by the legislature on January 19, 1923.

They were committed for the following offenses: Breaking, entering and larceny; assault; carrying a dangerous weapon; manufacturing intoxicating liquors; intoxication; driving auto intoxicated; receiving stolen goods; and non-payment of fines.

These men were sentenced for the following terms: One month or less; more than one month and less than three months; three months or more than three months; and more than three months.

Prisoners sent to other institutions: State School for Boys; State School for Girls; State Prison; and State Reformatory.

One prisoner escaped during the year and was retaken.

The 29th Annual Ball.
The date of the 29th annual ball of the Norway Clerks' Association has been set for Thursday evening, Feb. 15.

At the annual meeting of the association the following officers and committees were chosen:

President—John S. Brown, Jr.; Vice-President—John S. Brown, Jr.; Secretary—John S. Brown, Jr.; Treasurer—John S. Brown, Jr.; and various committees.

The people of Norway were shocked Thursday night by the death of a young man, the son of Mr. John S. Brown, Jr., who was killed in a fall from a building.

Mr. S. H. Haggerty, a well-known citizen of Norway, died Wednesday night of a heart attack. He was 65 years of age and had been ill for some time.

Mr. Haggerty had been for several years with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Brown, Jr., and was a well-known and popular citizen.

His funeral services will be held at the Norway Baptist Church on Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Resolutions.
Whereas, The Great Master of the Universe has in His wisdom has given us a sacred circle of our beloved brother, John S. Brown, Jr.,

Resolved, That we, the members of the Norway Clerks' Association, do hereby express our sincere sympathy to the bereaved family, and a copy sent to the Oxford Democrat for publication.

Woman's Missionary Society.
The Woman's Missionary Society of the Norway Baptist Church has elected the following officers for the coming year:

President—Mrs. John S. Brown, Jr.; Vice-President—Mrs. John S. Brown, Jr.; Secretary—Mrs. John S. Brown, Jr.; Treasurer—Mrs. John S. Brown, Jr.; and various committees.

Parish Meeting.
The Universalist parish of Norway has elected the following officers for the coming year:

President—Mrs. John S. Brown, Jr.; Vice-President—Mrs. John S. Brown, Jr.; Secretary—Mrs. John S. Brown, Jr.; Treasurer—Mrs. John S. Brown, Jr.; and various committees.

Circle Supper.
At the January circle supper of the Congregational church in Norway to be held Wednesday evening the fare, "Milk and Honey" will be given with the following cast:

Rebecca, the monitor—Virginia Tobin; Elizabeth, who reads—Elizabeth Smith; Grace, who also reads—Elizabeth Smith; and various other roles.

Maude, who conjugates the verb "to love"—Elizabeth Smith; and various other roles.

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Bridgemoons in Certain Parts of Africa Assert Their Mastery in No Uncertain Manner.

On the day of a marriage in Jubaland the girl issues from her father's house surrounded by throngs of women, dancing, singing and making a great deal of noise. She is taken to the bridegroom's tent, where he awaits her. As she passes in through the low doorway he gives her two or three sharp cuts with a rhinoceros hide lash, to intimate that he intends to be master.

She then has to attend to the various guests who come with gifts for the newly married couple; but she is not allowed to speak to them; neither does her husband address her. His commands, given by signs, have to be obeyed promptly, and should the girl be slow or not understand the meaning of his gestures, she is severely punished.

The husbands of a certain section of Somalia tie a rope round the bride's wrists on the first evening of marriage, and attach the end of the rope to a branch, tightening it so that the girl's toes only just touch the ground. They then proceed to administer a sound flogging. But the girl never utters a cry, and, as soon as the husband has administered a good hard beating he takes her down, washes and anoints her wounds, and looks after her tenderly until the cuts heal and the stiffness passes.

Saw the JOKE ON HIMSELF
Charles M. Schwab Tells Good Story In Which He Is Very Much The Central Figure.

Charles M. Schwab does not take himself seriously, except as an instrumentality for service and production, and he does not listen to any praise of himself without tempering it with a retort if the occasion permits.

Mr. Schwab attended a banquet in Indianapolis recently. After hearing a number of speakers, he rose and said the following:

"It is embarrassing to hear oneself eulogized as I have been by your good master, but when it is done, I give myself to have a better conception of myself by recalling the fact that I happened shortly after I took charge of the Carnegie plant."

"I was more or less a figure of local prominence in my community

